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In response to the Office Action mailed January 17, 2008, applicants request entry of the following amendments, and consideration of the Remarks set forth below. Applicants believe that no fees are required with this amendment. If any fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the same to the account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 10-0435, with reference to our matter number 38347-204974.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2.

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